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Dear Dr. Rholl-

I want to thank you again for your kindness.

It has taken me several days to locate my file on the goings on in that hospital in Louisiana which we discussed. The basic story was that several days prior to the assassination (around the 18th or 19th of November, 1963) a woman was taken to Jackson Memorial Hospital, Mandanville, Louisiana, from another hospital in the vicinty which had received her as a hit-and-run victim. She allegedly first spoke of the assassination in the presence of Dr. Wayne Owen and 11 other interns. Dr. Wayne Owen is currently in Madison,Wisconsin, and attached to the hospital connected with the university there. Another physician who had some knowledge of the affair was Dr. Victor J. Weiss Jr., a psychiatrist. I do not at present have the names of anyone but Dr. Wayne Owen and Dr. Weiss, save for other persons involved who are not of the medical profession. I will attempt to get more names of doctors from some of my colleagues, and if and when I am successful, I will let you know. As I have already indicated, it is my understanding that this thing was not pursued too far because Rose Cherami, the woman involved, and the only one who would have first hand information, was dead due to a hit-and-run accident near Big Sandy Texas. Rose Cherami has many aliases, but it is my understanding that she used the name Rose Cherami at the hospital.

I would greatly appreciate anything you are able to find out about this indident. It has always fascinated me, and it does represent a case where there are quite a few witnesses to what was said. I will try to get you more information on this so as to increase the change that it will turn out that you know someone who knows one of the doctors. Dr. Owen, by the way, is the one who gave his story to the Madison Wisconsin newspaper.

Enclosed is a copy of a bibliography of books on the assassination. It is not complete but all important books are on it.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,

Gary Schoener

PS: I received a carbon of your letter to Albert Quie. Many thanks.